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Nineteenth Annual
Symposium on Energy in the 21st Century
April 21, 2023

RESILIENCE AND MITIGATION

PREPARING FOR CLIMATE CHANGE WITH RENEWABLE ENERGY

7:15am-8:00am

BREAKFAST – NETWORKING

Sponsored by RAV Properties

Pre-Symposium Videos

8:00am-10:15am

OPENING REMARKS

RHEA JEZER, Ph.D., President, Energy21
Symposium Director

GREETINGS & UPDATES

JOANIE MAHONEY, President, SUNY ESF (confirmed)

BEN WALSH, Mayor, City of Syracuse

TOM DINAPOLI, Comptroller

BRIDGING CLIMATE CHANGE RESILIENCE AND MITIGATION

ELIZA HOTCHKISS

Senior Resilience Analyst & Group Manager

Energy Security and Resilience Center.

NREL

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LQ5Q-YcHrwQ>

JOBS FOR THE NEW MARKET IN RESILIENCY

DAVE WASIURA

Assistant to Region 4 Director

USW

ENERGY JUSTICE & IMPACT ON MINORITY COMMUNITY IN RESILIENCY & JOBS

TBD

GRID PREPARATION FOR VULNERABILITY, RESILIENCY, AND MITIGATION

NATASHA DESCHENE

Vice President

National Grid

THE IMPORTANCE AND FUTURE OF ENERGY STORAGE

DAVID SANDBANK

Vice President Distributed Energy & Clean Transportation

NYSERDA

HOW IS NEW YORK PREPARING FOR THE NEW NORM: CLCPA & IRA

DOREEN HARRIS

President/CEO

NYSERDA

BASIL SEGOS (Invited)

Commissioner

DEC

10:30am – 12:00pm

MODERATED PANEL DISCUSSION

with all speakers

KIT KENNEDY *Moderator*

Senior Director, Climate &

Clean Energy Program NRDC

12:00pm– 12:45pm

LUNCH

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12:45pm – 2:00pm

PRESENTATION OF AWARD

To: NATIONAL GRID

Melanie Littlejohn & Alberto Bianchetti

RHEA JEZER, Director

LUNCHEON PRESENTATIONS

RESILIENCY PLANS FOR ALBANY & NYC (SPEAKERS TBD)

2:00pm

TOUR OF (Choice) GATEWAY BUILDING or SOLAR FARM or WIND FARM or MORRISVILLE COLLEGE or TBD